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Cases Registered by CBI Against Officials of Public Sector Undertakings

5686. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases registered by the CBI against the high officials of Government Undertakings for possessing disproportionate assets during the last three years; and

(b) the number of cases out of them in the which challans were filed in the court and the number of cases in which departmental action was taken and the result thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) The number of cases registered by CBI against high ranking officials of Public Sector Undertakings on the allegation of possession of assets disproportionate to their known sources of income during the last three years is 14.

(b) Out of these 14 cases CBI have referred one case for departmental action for major penalty and one case for suitable action. Challan has not so far been filed in any case.

Urban Development Programme

5687. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have formulated any scheme to solve the problem of slums in the cities;

(b) if so, by when and the names of cities wherein it is proposed to be implemented:

(c) whether this scheme is not being implemented in all the cities; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b). The improvement of slums in cities is largely carried-out under the State Sector scheme of environmental Improvement of Urban Slums (EIUS). The cities and area selected under the scheme from time to time are determined by the State Governments/UTs. In addition, the schemes of Urban Basic Services/Urban Basic Services for the poor are operated by the Central Govt. where under funds are provided to the State Governments/UTs for provision of social amenities in low-income, urban neighborhoods through Neighborhood Committees.

(c) and (d). According to the information available on the matter, the EIUS is not in operation in the State of (i) Arunachal Pradesh (ii) Nagaland and UTs of (i) Chandigarh (ii) Dada & Nagar Haveli (iii) Daman & Diu (iv) Lakshadweep as there is no major problem of slums in these States/UTs. As regards UBS/UBSP, the state Governments/UT Administrations themselves identify the towns/ slum pockets for implementing these schemes.

Cases Peending in Central Amdministrative Tribunal, Jodhpur

5688. SHRI RAM NARAIN BERWA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of cases of the employees pending in the Central Administrative Tribunal, Jodhpur since last three years;